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INAUGURAL BALL DISPENSED WITH TO PLEASE WILSON

After Consulting Many People
He Concludes Ball Is Not
Necessary

Princeton, N. J., January 16.—In a letter to Wm. Corcoran Eustis, chairman of the inaugural committee today, President-elect Wilson called off the historic inaugural ball which heretofore has been the important social function in connection with the inauguration. It has been represented to the president-elect that the ball is always a source of more or less expense to the government, no less than \$8,000 in the service of the clerks in the pension building, who have to be laid off while preparations for the ball are being made. The president-elect cannot see where the ball serves any useful purpose. Moreover it will save \$5 each to the persons who would have attended. The president-elect's decision in this matter is in keeping with his desire to make the inauguration as simple as possible. Already at his request the inaugural parade has been greatly contracted in length. It will be recalled that he has also determined to cut out the daily receptions at the White House and devote his time to the business of the government.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NOTICE

Services at the Christian church, Sunday, January 19.
11 a. m., "The Third Article of the New Covenant."
7:30 p. m., "The Great High Priest and Caiaphas."
You are cordially invited.
JAS. G. KNOTTER, Pastor.
Bob Callaway has the kind of goods that you want both in quality and price. Go see him.

ON IMPORTANT COMMITTEES.

Representative W. R. Scott, of Barry county was appointed by Speaker Hull on the following important committees:
Constitutional Amendments, Printing, and Immigration

MISS LARKIN TO WED

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Ellen Larkin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Larkin, to Mr. Lawrence Welch of Monett, will be solemnized at eight-thirty o'clock next Wednesday morning at St. Patrick's church by Father Brady.

Immediately after the ceremony the couple will leave for Muskogee, Okla., to visit Mr. Welch's parents, after which they will be at home to their friends in Monett where the groom is employed in the Frisco machine shops.—Peirce City Journal.

OUR ASSEMBLY ROOM.

Well Furnished and Heated is at the service of our friends and customers Free of Charge, suitable for large or small meetings and private conferences.
You are Welcome. Don't fail to Use it any time you feel the need to do so.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

OF COURSE

Here's a judge who holds that a man's wife is not a part of his family," said the Old Fogey.
"He's right," replied the grouch. "She's the whole thing."
You should go today and get what you want in furniture, carpets and rugs while you can get 20% discount for cash at Bob Callaway's.

SURPRISE PARTY

On Thursday evening at her home on Frisco Avenue, a surprise was given Ruth Watson in honor of her thirteenth birthday. After a very happy evening refreshments were served, and the girls departed wishing Ruth many happy birthdays.

Those present were Ruth Hobbs, Helen Perry, Agnes Uter, Mildred Callaway, Clara Holland, Ruth Breese, Rose Smith, Jessie Hall, Ruth Cole, Winifred Taylor, Pauline Hunt, Jewel Ferguson, Norine Wilson, Sylvia Lake and Gladys Solomon.

Gentlemen take advantage of the price Wainwright's are making on underwear, 50 cent values only 35 cents. 66 tf

PEIRCE CITY NEWS.

From The Journal

Mr. and Mrs. John Lucas went to Monett Monday evening to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wicks and Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCane and daughter spent Monday morning in Monett with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Rowden.

Mrs. Hattie Paxton and Miss Edith McMillan visited Mrs. J. G. Paxton in Monett Monday.

Miss Marie O'Brien spent Sunday in Monett with her sister, Miss Kate, who is ill at the home of relatives. Her mother, Mrs. Mike O'Brien is in Monett helping to care for her daughter.

Mrs. Don Smith of Monett visited her daughter, Mrs. C. Glassford, Monday.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Connor was completely destroyed by fire about nine-thirty Wednesday morning. The fire, the origin of which is unknown, was first discovered by Mrs. Connor who caused the alarm to be turned in but a strong wind caused the flames to spread quickly and the house and all its contents were burned before the fire company had time to interfere. The loss is partially covered by insurance.

That 20% discount sale lasts from January 11 to January 31 at Bob Callaway's. Now is the time to go see what he has to offer you both in quality and price. You are never disappointed in what you buy at Callaway's.

Newton County Licenses

George A. White and Estella Davis of Wheaton; Norman E. Jones of Grand Island, Neb., and Hazel B. Brame of Joplin; Grover Bachlor and Nora Culp of Joplin; W. R. Thomas of Neosho, Rt. 2 and Rosetta Benton of Rocky Comfort.

Dr. A. K. S. Calvert, who has been practicing for the last seven years at Ponca City, Ok., but now of Monett, Mo., has opened offices over Perry Short's jewelry store for the practice of Osteopathy. He will be glad to meet any or all persons who are friendly to Osteopathy or who are in need of treatment. 93tf

"Days of Terror" Vitagraph, a story of the French Revolution at the Gem tonight. 1t

LAWRENCE COUNTY COURT.

Jan. 6, 7 and 8.

The county court met Jan. 6, 1913, pursuant to adjournment, those present being J. W. Underwood, presiding judge; Robert Lee and T. F. Compton, associate judges of the court; Charles J. Cherry, sheriff and C. W. Wilder, clerk; all within and for the county of Lawrence and at which time the following proceedings were had:

Ordered by the court that warrants be issued to 24 indigent persons in sums of \$3 each as temporary aid.

Bills of costs, wherein the following named persons are defendants in amounts set opposite their names:

Jay Griffith	\$26.45
Bud Howerton	19.78
Allen Jones	16.78
Roy Rogers	22.45

and warrants in sum of \$87.46 issued to pay same.

Reports of prosecuting attorney, county clerk, circuit clerk and sheriff approved.

Proposition of Mt. Vernon Telephone Co. to furnish 8 phones at court house and one at county farm at \$7 per month accepted.

Official bond of L. F. Lacy as county assessor, approved.

J. B. Tillman having deposited \$100 more to be used for the permanent improvement of the Tillman road, a like amount is appropriated for same purpose.

Dr. Charles B. Quinton appointed county physician for year 1913, as per applications.

Dr. S. N. Townsend appointed a member of the County Board of Health and the board organized by electing J. W. Underwood, chairman and S. N. Townsend secretary.

Fred M. Lovejoy appointed justice of the peace of Turnback township to fill unexpired term. George Walker appointed superintendent of county farm for the year beginning March 1, 1913.

Lawrence Henry admitted to the state sanatorium as a county patient.

County surveyor's salary fixed at \$4 for every day he works at the order of the county court.

T. J. Alexander appointed janitor of the courthouse for the year beginning April 1, 1913, and given until February 1st to file bond of \$500 as such officer.

Asthma! Asthma!
POPHAM'S ASTHMA REMEDY gives instant relief and an absolute cure in all cases of Asthma, Bronchitis, and Hay Fever. Sold by druggists; mail on receipt of price \$1.00.

Trial Package by mail 10 cents.
WILLIAMS MFG. CO., Props., Cleveland, Ohio
BROWN & HAGLER, Druggists

Mrs. R. J. Tuggle, of Sedalia, is the guest of Miss Helen Moore.

DEMONSTRATION.

The National Biscuit Company will give a demonstration of their goods at Matthews' Grocery Store, corner Sixth and Broadway, Saturday, January 18. The public is invited to sample the different varieties of their goods. 16tf

COUNTY UNIT BILL FORCES LIQUOR WAR

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 16.—Liquor legislation is going to play an important part in the Forty seventh General Assembly. Judging from the personnel of the House and Senate, the brewers will be kept busy trying to defeat the county unit measure introduced yesterday.

The county unit bill was drafted by Representative Charles Hay of Fulton, and it will pass the House. The Senate is about evenly divided between the "wets" and "drys," and it is uncertain what the Senators will do when it comes to a test.

The county unit measure will permit an entire county to say whether it will permit the sale of liquors. One-tenth of the qualified voters of the county can call and order an election and the factions for and against the sale of liquor receive an equal representation in the selection of the election judges and clerks.

The cost of the election is to be paid out of the county treasury. No saloon licenses can be granted by the county authorities while the election is pending.

LAND FOR SALE.

For Sale, 120 acres of good timber land, 1 1/2 miles east of Monett high school for sale at reasonable price to close up estate. For particulars inquire of R. R. Teel, Monett, Mo. 44 tf

EUCRE PARTY

The ladies of the Catholic church gave a Euchre party at the church hall Thursday evening. Though the weather was unpleasant there was a large attendance and a most enjoyable evening was spent.

Miss Mary Kilkenny won the ladies' prize, which was a souvenir spoon. John Walsh was the gentleman making the most points and received a box of cigars which he presented to Rev. Fr. Curran, who was second.

In addition to the game the company was entertained with an excellent musical program given by the young people.

Coal and wood heating stoves for sale at actual cost at F. M. Hall's. 21 tf

BRAD'S BIT O' VERSE

BY J. C. BRADSHAW

THE GROUNDHOG

The groundhog is a mouldy myth, a dream of savage mind, whose mission is to vex the thoughts of civilized mankind. I have no use for him at all; his capers make me snort; it makes no difference to me what day his sons cavort. My neighbors throw a yearly fit and worship at his shrine, they hug that relic of the past with faith almost divine; they fill the fleeting moments up with arguments profound, and all because a fuzzy beast makes shadows on the ground; but I'm too worldly wise to fall for tommy rot like that; no musty legend finds a roost beneath my stove-pipe hat. And yet when groundhog day comes round I always take a peep, and wonder if the pesky brute has wakened from his sleep; not that I'm worried in the least by superstition lore, but somehow, if the sun comes out, it kind o' makes me sore; and if the clouds are on the job, my joy nerves seem to act; I wouldn't tell my neighbors that, but it's a gospel fact. The groundhog is a measly sham that isn't worth a pin; but there's a touch about his tricks that makes the whole world kin.

MARKET REPORT

Wheat	1.00
Corn	.50
Irish potatoes	.75
Spring Chickens	.10
Hens	.10
Butter	.25
Eggs	.20
Oats	.40
Chop	1.20
Bran	1.20
Ship	1.25

THE WEATHER.

Rain Friday; Saturday fair and colder.

You can have your floor covered now with one of the latest patterns in linoleum at 60 cents per yard. All 75c linoleum at 60c per yard from January 11 to 31, at Bob Callaway's.

When Times are Hard and Money Close

THE demand for loans three times as large as we can supply, and one of our regular depositors wants an accommodation, isn't it natural that we should favor him—see that his interests are protected? That is one of the advantages of having a growing bank account—your interests are carefully considered and insofar as safe, sound banking will permit, your interests are protected.

Why not protect your future interests by opening an account with us now? The amount of your first deposit is not so material as the fact that you become one of our customers, identifying yourself with us.

First National Bank

Monett, Missouri.

INTEREST PAID ON TIME DEPOSITS.

Assets Over Half a Million.

CARL W. WILLIS & PHIL J. LEHNHARD PRES. CASHIER V-PRES.

Bob Callaway Offers You 20 Per Cent Discount

Furniture, Carpets and Rugs From January 11 to January 31

If you should need anything in this line you should give this sale your attention. Sale Prices are Strictly Cash. Come and see what I have to offer you;

BOB CALLAWAY

THE RELIABLE FURNITURE AND CARPET MAN

THE QUALITY IS THE BEST AND THE PRICES ARE RIGHT